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Apparently Mayor Carter Harrison isn't wearing his plug hat in honor of his distinguished kinsman the ex-president.

The report that Mrs. Cleveland will visit Chicago without publicity is a rather severe reflection on Chicago journalism. We rather think she will get found out.

Tuesday.

Eddie Simcox, aged 10 years, while playing near a pool at Pepper's distillery, Lexington, fell in was drowned. He was the son of Benjamin Simcox, a mechanic of that city.

There is considerable comment being made upon private Secretary Thurber's obscurity, but people who have had occasion to avail themselves of his services at the White House are not complaining of any lack of civility or attention. Private Secretary Thurber appears to be a man who enjoys attending to his own business without a brass band accompaniment.

Another litigation is in process in New York where a woman is suing another for services performed in removing the wrinkles from the defendant's face. The latter was over fifty when she was treated, and, according to the declaration of the plaintiff at the expiration of the treatment her patient did not look over thirty-five. And still the payment of the small fee of \$500 is resisted. It looks like a case of imposture or base ingratitude, and it is hoped that the jury will say which.

The Danger From Cholera.

Day by day it is reported that the cholera is steadily making advances toward the ports in the Mediterranean and on the coast of France, where rags and immigrants are most numerous, and are constantly being sent to this country. The time has arrived when the cholera begins its ravages, and it requires only a few cases to create a scare that will be felt all over the country. Rags are extensively stored in the vicinity of Boston that have not been properly disinfected in the ports from which they came, and unless they are carefully handled an epidemic may quickly break out in any one of the manufacturing towns. It is also possible that many immigrants who cross the Atlantic from the cities that border on the Mediterranean, the germ of cholera may be brought in the clothing of these people, and thus the country be subjected to the terrors of an epidemic, if not its realities.

We have made our columns somewhat monotonous by our constant appeals for cleanliness; yet some one must agitate this matter or the authorities, having once had the premises cleaned, may forget that it should, in order to have health, be repeated. In some parts of Mt. Sterling there are heaps of filth, hotbeds for generating malignant diseases. Earlier some of these health-destroyers were removed, and all would have been had the committee been given broader latitude. Now that vegetation is decaying the rays of the sun are intensely hot and the period of the year has arrived when pestilence and disease are more common. Our authorities should spare neither labor nor money in order to cleanliness.

THE TARIFF

Will Be Revised By The Next Congress.

THE SHERMAN SILVER LAW MUST GO.

Secretary Carlisle Making Strenuous Efforts to Stop Opium Smuggling.

FRANKIE AND BABY RUTH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 23, 1893.

If there are any persons who believe the silly stories now going the rounds of the Republican press, charging that President Cleveland and the other Democratic leaders had abandoned all idea of making any radical changes in the tariff at the coming session of Congress, they had better begin to prepare themselves for a great disappointment. There has been no change in the programme mapped out by the Democratic leaders before Mr. Cleveland was inaugurated, except that caused by the financial stringency throughout the country, which has given financial reform the first place on the programme, but has by no means displaced tariff reform. Ever since President Cleveland's election he has been discussing these two reforms with every man he met who might be supposed to have practical and valuable opinions upon either, and he has lost no opportunity to obtain suggestions from those whose practical experience or special studies have made them tariff experts. A perfect tariff bill has never been prepared and probably never will be, but unless present indications are all wrong the tariff bill to be prepared this winter will be nearer perfection, from the standpoint of the Chicago platform, than any of its predecessors, and that it will be a radical change from the McKinley law is as certain as that Congress will meet. Tariff reform and financial reform are to be the first born children of the Fifty-third Congress, the first for more than fifty years to be Democratic in both branches while a Democrat was President.

President Cleveland has not and will not attempt to say what the details of the bill for the repeal of the Sherman silver law shall be. He is satisfied that the law is a very bad one, and also that Congress will repeal it at the extra session. He is also satisfied that it is perfectly safe to leave it to the wisdom of Congress as to how this shall be done and what other financial legislation shall be adopted in order to undo the bad effect of the Sherman law. In conversation with a friend this week he stated his belief that the partial polling of the House and Senate by newspapers furnished no reliable basis to estimate what the vote on the question of repealing this law would be, owing to the large number of Senators and Representatives who have not declared how they will vote.

Ever since Secretary Carlisle took charge of the Treasury Department he has been quietly working to put a stop to the wholesale smuggling of Chinese and opium by way of Puget Sound. Reports from two trusted men sent out to investigate soon convinced him that a number of the Government officials, whose duty it was to prevent such smuggling, were in league with the smugglers. He removed a number of these men and appointed their successors, but did not make either the removals or the appointments public until this week, because of his desire to secure the necessary evidence to criminally prosecute the crooked ex-officials. Large fortunes are said to have been made by the smugglers in the last ten years, but Mr. Carlisle intends to see that no more are made while he remains in office.

Not a few Republicans, among them some Congressmen, have openly commended Judge Lochren for his vigorous efforts towards carrying out President Cleveland's idea of making the pension roll a roll of honor, and the number is bound to increase as the good effect of the new methods becomes more apparent. The most audacious Republican Congressman will hardly dare to go on record as criticizing the present administration for dropping men from the pension rolls whose names have no right, either in law or equity, to be there, and it is only that kind who are being dropped.

As was expected Col. Ainsworth, the contractor, the superintendent and the engineer have been pronounced guilty of criminal negligence by the coroner's jury for having failed to take necessary precautions to prevent the accident which killed twenty-three men and wounded a number of others in Ford's old theatre. They all gave bail to await the action of the grand jury. An army court of inquiry will, as soon as the grand jury acts, begin taking evidence upon which it will decide whether Col. Ainsworth shall be court-martialed or exonerated. He can only be deprived of his rank in the army by a court martial.

Mrs. Cleveland and Baby Ruth have gone to Gray Gables, on Buzzard's Bay, Ruth's birthplace, while the President will remain here, notwithstanding the dancing among the nineties of the thermometer, up to his eyes in work so important that he cannot leave it. He expects to get things in such shape that he can join his family in about ten days or two weeks and remain with them long enough to assist in welcoming the expected guest.

Mr. Sam Turley has contracted with parties to put up stock pens. They will be located within the city limits, on the Spencer pike, and will be ample to accommodate all the stock that will be brought to this market. The charges will be light so that every body will be pleased. We are glad of this step, and we believe Mr. Turley is in every way adapted to carry on this kind of business.

THE DISCIPLES OF PROBEL-

CHAUNCEY HALL GRADUATES ITS KINDERTEN CLASS.

From the Thirty-two Graduates Only One From Kentucky—Mrs. Sophia Randall.

The Mt. Sterling Graded School to Have the Benefit of This Essential System by Her.

For years we have seen the necessity for this system, and have used our energies and talents urging its adoption in our graded school; and we rejoice in what is to come to pass.

Mrs. Randall has been thoroughly imbued with this method, and has spent many years in preparing herself that she might be proficient in the work.

"It is the glory of the Kindergarten that it teaches a correct and right way of doing everything, and again that its form of education stimulates the imagination."

Rev. E. Winchester Donald, a ripe scholar with a thoroughly trained mind and one of the closest observers—a man who is authority on educational systems said before the graduating class:

IT MATTERED LITTLE

Whether we digested what we learned or not, but to-day the child's thought or imagination is directed toward a natural development.

"There is no dull, sordid heaven in the teaching of the child to-day. It's the imagination that plays the important part in our present civilization. The men who have given the greatest experiments to the world in electricity were those of acute imagination—not so much the trained mechanic. A Harvard professor says the man of imagination is the best mathematician. There seems to be a casual connection between Kindergarten methods and good morals. You can observe a superior ethical conscience taught in the Kinderten taught child, yet none of us can account for that spiritual development. The principles of the Kindergarten system are faithfulness, consistency and intelligence. A man or a woman must be symmetrically educated. An education which deals only with one side is defective, and the man who goes through the world with his two eyes on a task is a pretty poor sort of a fellow. A training to perform a task is no more important than a training to perform a pleasure."

Previous to Dr. Donald's remarks the graduating class went through its exercises in a most fascinating manner. The scholars sang their charming songs, so dear to the ears of all childhood, and told sweet little stories just suited to abbreviated men and women. They were such bright, intelligent stories, too, with good points in them and so concisely brought out. It was the old idea that a child must be written down to, while modernism says you must write up to the child's idea. There were stories about Ge-

ometry, about insects, the daisies, the blade of grass and what each atom in the universe amounted to.

The poet who sighed to be a "child again just for to-night," was surely not a student of Kindergartenism, else his wish would have been granted in Chauncey Hall on that occasion. Quotations from the great writers were so simplified in story.

"In the Garden," was the subject of Mrs. Sophia Randall's story, and "Nature's Gifts to Pallas," that of Miss Bertha Hortense Gault. The former was a literary treat and the latter an ideal bit of imagery, on the cube, the cylinder and the sphere.

Mr. C. Meleney Emmett, renowned among educators, was loud in the praise of Miss Wheelock's consecration to her life work, fitting young ladies for the development of children. She has no superior, and has taken rank with woman of the highest renown. He said the public school to-day owes a great deal

TO THE KINDERGARTEN.

He believed the training these young ladies had just gone through would be beneficial to their lives as well as their teaching.

"The time is coming," he said, "When this form will be considered as an essential part of every young lady's education, and when every woman's college and university will have it incorporated in its academic year. A child is a germ that can be developed by sympathy and intellectual training."

Mr. S. T. Dutton, Brookline was the last speaker. He spoke of the necessary consecration of teacher to her work. He thought St. Paul performed no greater mission work than these young ladies who were about to carry the gospel of Kindergartenism all over the country.

At the conclusion of the exercises the gathering passed through the school rooms, where they inspected the work of the pupils, which for beauty, precision, artistic coloring, accurate folding and nicety in finish could not be excelled. The building was beautifully decorated with wild flowers, and every one was enthusiastic for all they had seen and heard.

We congratulate our Board that they have secured the services of Mrs. Randall, and the people generally that their children are to receive the Kindergarten system.

Greatest Naval Disaster of the Present Century.

The battle-ship Victoria, one of the finest vessels of the British Navy, was rammed and sunk by the Camperdown, during maneuvers Thursday off Tripoli, Syria, and nearly 450 lives were lost. Twenty-one officers were drowned, including Vice Admiral Sir George Tryon, commander of the squadron and one of the most popular officers of the British navy. Over 700 men were on board, but 255 were saved. The accident is inexplicable from the reports received. Some one was responsible for this accident, but who is a question yet unanswered. In naval circles it is an evidence of the unsafe and unwieldy character of such heavy war ships.

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In the Reese Building, one door west of the Mt. Sterling National Bank.

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Is one of our new Departments which would do credit to a city. We can sell you Paper from 5 to 50 cents per Bolt.

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We will put in a full line of Great Western Stoves, which we add about 150 here in a couple of years, and every one has given perfect satisfaction. Call and see us when you want one.

Queensware and Glassware.

We have the best line we have ever shown, and we have some Big Bargains to offer. We have seven lots of the Finest Vienna China Tea Sets that would be cheap at \$12.50 per set, which we are offering for the small sum of \$8.50. Call and see our new line of Chamber Sets from \$1.50 to \$12.

Tinware.

We can offer you some Big Bargains in this line. Dish pans, 10c, 15c, 25c, 35c up. Watch our window for Big Bargains in this line. Covered Buckets 1 qt 5c, 2 qt 8c, 3 qt 10c, 1 qt 15c, 6 qt 15c, 8 qt 20c, 10 qt 25c. We have not the space to quote our many Bargains in this line.

Lace Curtains and Window Shades

We are Headquarters in this line. We can show Lace Curtains in prices from 50 cents to \$3 per pair. They are Big Bargains. Others can't compete in this line. Window Shades from 20c to 75c each; poles 20c to 65c each.

Carpets, Matting and Floor Oil Cloth.

You must not buy till you have seen our line. Table Oil Cloth 15c per yard up.

Hardware, wire, Etc.

We can sell you Rakes, Farm Implements, 30c up. Forks and Woodware. We carry a Full Line of Tubs, Buckets, Brooms, etc.

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MT. STERLING, KY.

A special from Paris says that R. B. Hutchcraft shot and killed his brother-in-law, Dan Stewart, of Muir's Station, yesterday morning about 9 o'clock. Hutchcraft, a commission merchant of Paris, and Stewart, a farmer, had not been on good terms for some time. They met near the freight depot, and after a quarrel Stewart struck Hutchcraft over the head with a loaded cane, felling him. Whilst down Hutchcraft managed to shoot his assailant three times, from the effects of which he died instantly. Hutchcraft is himself severely hurt.

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